

Peggy Smith and Diane Kennedy voted "Mr. and Miss Bay High" by the School Faculty.

Smith, Kennedy Named As Miss, Mr. Bay High

Faculty members were called upon again to make a difficult choice among the nominees for the selection of Mr. and Miss Bay High. Votes have been counted and the winners go to Poggiolotti and Doster Kennedy.

"I am very happy. I was selected Miss Bay High. I never dreamed I would get it," declared Diane, 18 years, brown hair, green eyes Diane Kennedy.

Doster was born on March 6, 1948, in Pineywood, Mississippi. He is 18 years old and a senior. This is his second year at Bay High. After graduation he is going to work during the summer and start college next year.

Doster's favorite sport is basketball in which he has participated for two years. He has also part in many clubs and activities - two years in football, senior class president; a date in the Homecoming Court; member of the "B" Club; participated in track and football for two years; is the Finance Editor of the Student Picnic; and is taking a part in the senior class play.

Bay's future plans are to

Gex 'Most Popular' Stanislaus Student

On April 2, 1947, the high school students at St. Stanislaus cast their votes in the Annual Homecoming Competition by the Stanislaus Club. The voting in many instances was close but the Stanislaus students finally managed to pick out a few winners.

Stanislaus girls as follows: Walter Gex received the award of "Most Popular" student on the campus. Stanislaus, a boy who never stops smiling, is a student of the Latin class.

Stanislaus, it seems, is the "handsome" boy the down young girls determine to get the girls next door. Many students have planned to see and follow Gex as a close friend.

In the "Most Adorable" division, Billy Shuster was very favored by his classmate, Harry Angers, while Walter Schuster placed third.

Following the old adage that one can be last but not least, Stanislaus conducted "Most Agreeable." Tommy Schuster was second and Billy Shuster, third.

Again without further help, the students elected Harry Angers as the "Most Popular", followed by Stanislaus and Alton Shuster.

Knowledge is the "Most

WALTER GEX

Stanislaus" person around, although second placed Robert Hayes and third placed Tommy Schuster don't wear rags either.

Tommy Schuster received the majority in the "Most Popular" division; Walter Gex and Alton Shuster followed closely behind.

Tommy, it seems, is an appealing person, very easy with the "Most Popular" comment. However, Alton Angers and Bill Angers did Stanislaus and third, respectively.

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Our opponents in their published platform boldly state:

"We will advocate an IMMEDIATE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM IN THE Water System for the ENTIRE CITY, which will result in LOWER FIRE INSURANCE RATES FOR ALL THE PEOPLE."

"We will establish a NEW CITY CEMETERY, WITHOUT BOND ISSUES, available to the public FREE OF CHARGE."

"We will OPPOSE any INCREASE IN AD VALOREM TAXES."

The above are SOME OF THE PROMISES set out in their platform. Numerous other PROMISES of similar nature have been published by them but they have FAILED TO TELL THE PUBLIC or our present officials. HOW such a fantastic program can be accomplished WITHOUT A BOND ISSUE or an INCREASE IN TAXES.

During our administration, we employed a highly reputable and nationally recognized engineer to make a survey and furnish plans and specifications for a Water Works System which would meet the MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS of the Mississippi State Rating Bureau, which if constructed, would have provided adequate water for both domestic and FIRE-FIGHTING purposes in the entire city. We humbly submitted this proposal, in good faith, to the people for their approval or disapproval, more than two years ago and it was rejected. Now our opponents are PROMISING the SAME TYPE OF WATER WORKS IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, but yet they FAIL TO TELL THE PUBLIC HOW IT CAN BE DONE.

After consulting with experienced cemetery developers, we also submitted to the people more than two years ago, a proposal for a much needed City Cemetery Site, with plans for PERPETUAL CARE, this likewise was rejected by the voters. Now our opponents are promising to establish a new City Cemetery WITHOUT BOND ISSUE, available to the general public FREE OF CHARGE -- again they FAIL TO TELL THE PUBLIC what MAGIC POWERS they will use to do this.

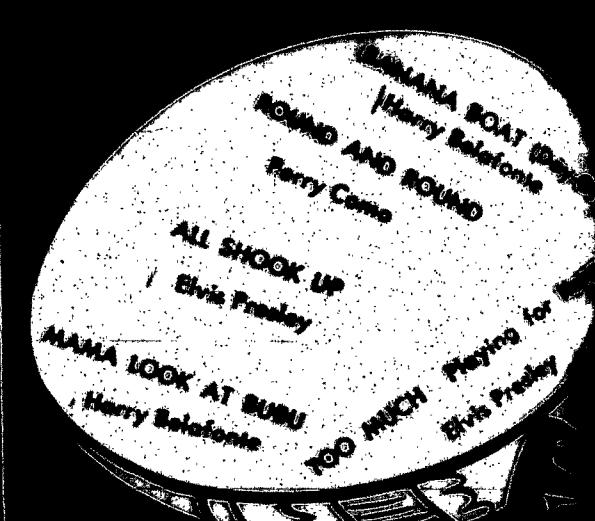
Again we say that we are not MAGICIANS or GENIUSES. We are not going to make WILD PROMISES which we cannot fulfill, merely for the purpose of SEEKING VOTES for re-election. We ask that you judge us on our RECORD OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS and we pledge that we will continue to exert every effort toward the continued development and progress of our City.

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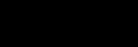
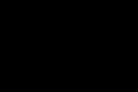
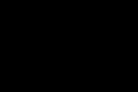
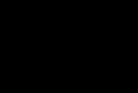
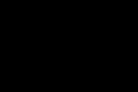
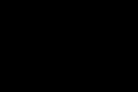
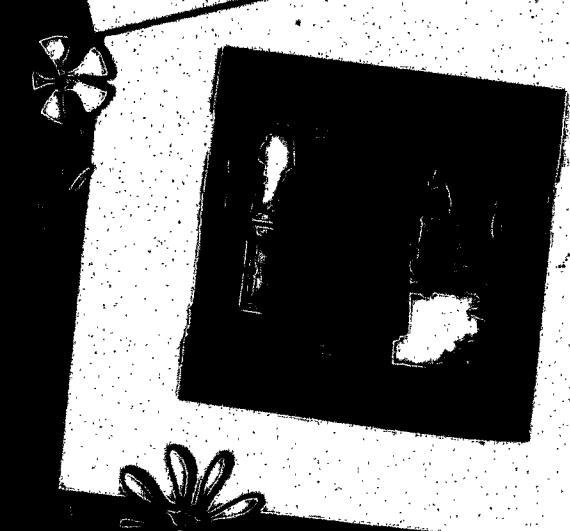
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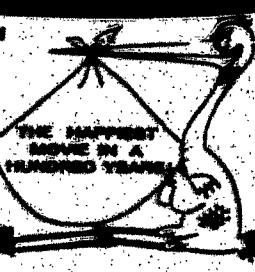
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Produced and Directed by Max Miller
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CONTEST RULES

Babies entered in contest must be between ages of 6 months and 24 months of age, and residents of Hancock County.

Entries must be in no later than Saturday, April 20. Photographs or pictures entered can be of any type or size, in color or black and white.

Judging will be on the appearance of the baby and not upon the type or quality of the picture.

Parents cannot be connected in any way with either the A & G Theatre or the Sea Coast Echo.

THE WINNER WILL BE ANNOUNCED
SUNDAY AFTERNOON AT THE
A & G THEATRE

IT COSTS NOTHING AND ENTERING IS SIMPLE

Persons desiring to enter may bring a photograph or snapshot of the entrant to any of the participating business establishments during regular business hours.

On reverse side of the picture must be written or pasted the name, address or phone number of the child's parents.

The sponsors will not be responsible for photographs entered in the contest, although every effort will be made to return them.

Prizes will be awarded by the contributing merchants at their individual establishments.

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THAT FIVE WEEK OLD WAMEL AND MESS

The disagreement between Wamele's Mayor, Lester, and Board Member Beaufort, on the one hand, and Mayor Blanche Powers, Hildreth, and Hertley, on the other, has paralyzed City government since the two city commissioners and brought much disarray to the financed business.

City employees, whose families and pay checks are denied them, complain, while good faith performed services and delivered goods to the City, but they fear fear of reprisals are not in position to compete with other money. Businesses are being denied the right to register to vote.

There are but a few of the planned and shocking results of this tragic impasse where business men stay the Wamele's citizens a City disorganization because they can't pay their taxes, political differences and in a "give and take" spirit for the benefit of their city, come to an amicable agreement and get their wanted city administration back on the road.

When composed of all dissension and legal argument to subserve the differences and legality of the position of each faction the basic fact remains, the basic staple.

The Mayor with the approval of one Alderman made an appointment. They claim it is legal.

These Aldermen claim the appointment is illegal without the Board's approval which they refuse to give and therefore, they cannot, be held the office illegally.

Another factor given in fact on that basic issue, is without a City Administration as a cause.

How to end it?

One and Only one person can definitely decide the issues involved. Options, legal or otherwise, held and discussed by you, me, anyone, even the Attorney General are all as worthless as air in ordering legal settlement and seeking rectification.

Only the voice of a court of jurisdiction can adjudicate this conflict.

Who can go to court, then, and ask for decision and relief?

The Mayor can't, since his position would be that of asking a court to render opinion on the legality of his appointment. There would be no cause, no dispute, no difference of opinion involved - and no case to be decided. The Court would undoubtedly rule him as a lawyer instead of rendering such legal advice.

Who, then, can render the expeditious legality in Court to get it adjudicated?

Private citizens can, of course. These would, however, to be sure, disagree.

The only persons left who definitely can are the three Aldermen, Powers, Hildreth and Wamele.

They are the as a public body, the Board of Aldermen, since they control a voting majority of themselves, etc. they can do so through legislation of a movement joining as members a group of private citizens who take action.

They have failed to take other step for so long as possible. As almost citizens, it is their absolute duty to take either or both of these courses. Their "do nothing" attitude is deplorable. They are the only persons who can or will get legal settlement to end the city's paralysis.

Their failure to get this issue legally settled leaves them, in the minds of fair thinking citizens, an alternative but to take legal action at once or to approve the nomination and get the city back to normal.

If such action is taken by them for the public's benefit, it, unfortunately follows that in equal public fairness the Mayor should accept Alderman Wamele's original recommendation of appointing an impartial citizen to hold and function in the office during the period of such difficulties.

Such a temporary selection, approved by both Mayor and Alderman, would immediately pacify Wamele with a City Administration whose acts could never be legally questioned on grounds that he is no longer held office improperly or illegally.

NOTICE TO CITIZENS

Notice will be received by the Parks and Playgrounds Commission of the City of Bay St. Louis, to be submitted to the City Clerk of said City, as follows:

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.
By Mrs. Theo. Tolsey, Chairman

The word "and" in the notice of 1907 of said City, which reads "and" will be removed by the processors of Royal Note, dated from the Anglo-Saxon form, which has but two letters in modern practice.

TO THE PEOPLE OF BAY ST. LOUIS:

There is one very important thing which I would like to include in my platform—water. I have had it now. I am sure our people have worked very hard to relieve us of this, but I'll try harder.

I would like to include a list of our people who have been identified with this cause. I would like to include them so that our people will be able to identify under whom they are working. There's nothing more important than the welfare of this.

C. E. H. Chairman

ALDERMAN

Wamele's Mayor, Lester, has been elected to the position of City Commissioner. He has been elected to this office, I would like to think, in your favor, after our half-past, (sic) discussion, to give you a chance to know him and to know him in an educated atmosphere.

Alderman Powers said, in a message sent through his attorney, that his position remained unchanged in that he agreed that the Mayor's appointment was legal and should be approved by the Board.

Alderman Powers said, "I don't think the appointment is legal and I don't approve of one man overall. I think the Mayor should withdraw his appointment. I don't know of any action being taken by any member of the Board or by anyone else."

Alderman Powers continued, "The City Attorney (C. O. DeFoor) advised the Board that they could not sue any legal action since there was no action in the law and, therefore, nothing is being done."

He added, "The General Public is responsible as well as the elected officials. They just elect us but offer no help or advice to help get it straightened out. They are interested in themselves only. They elect a man to office and then just forget him."

If there are any interested citizens they should form a Citizens Committee to find or supply a remedy through proper channels. I have contacted no other attorneys but the City Attorney, but, I will offer to pay my pro rata share of legal expenses in any such public movement."

Alderman Hertley said to speak off the record when questioned about the dispute and possible plan for its settlement. The Echo reporter requested that he not do so and asked that he speak for publication, since much of the information to be discussed was probably in the newspaper's possession already and it wanted to feel free to publish it without violating the Board member's confidence.

Mr. Hertley was then asked if he knew of any progress being made toward settlement and he replied that he did not. He also replied, when asked if he knew of any legal action being taken toward getting the matter straightened out, "I don't know of any legal action being taken by any individual."

The original dispute between the Mayor and Alderman grew out of the appointment of C. O. DeFoor as City Secretary made by the Mayor to fill the vacancy created by the death of Mrs. H. L. Hildreth who held the position for many years.

CAP Squadron Organized Here

Malcolm G. Sonnenfeld heads a movement to organize a Civil Air Patrol Squadron for the Bay St. Louis area.

An organizational meeting was held Thursday, April 4, at the VFW Home on DuBois Avenue with about 40 persons attending, including the Commander, the Adjutant, and other officers of the CAP from Kosciusko Field.

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1956 Year of Spring Festival

Mrs. Larson Elected To代替 Bay School PTA April 9

Mrs. Jean Larson, a local resident, was elected to the代替 Bay School PTA April 9, at the school. Voting members present were Mrs. Paul Hansen, vice president; Mrs. Edith Hansen, secretary; and Mrs. Lorraine Hansen, treasurer.

Four new officers were elected for the Bay School Administrative Board, beginning at 7:30 p.m. on April 9, in the school gymnasium and Board Room,代替 Bay School, "representing the community" recommended by the members for this year.

Reports from various committees were given, and the news for the supper dinner.

Mrs. Dan McCollum served as chairman of the nominating committee.

Programs were presented so the Boarded place could be completed.

Plans For Writer's Conference Completed At "Wittrywood"

The Live Oak branch of the National League of American Penwomen met at "Wittrywood", home of Mrs. Alice Prichett, April 3.

Plans were completed for the "Wittrywood" writer's conference, which will be sponsored by the branch in cooperation with the University of Mississippi.

Other business was discussed with and a surprise bon voyage party held for the Prichetts. Mrs. Lloyd Griffith, of Bay St. Louis, Mrs. Griffith was presented with a large cake decorated with two sides which carried the names of the various European cities she and Mr. Griffith will visit during their trip to the continent. On behalf of the members of the branch Mrs. J. W. Hill Jr. complimented the Penwomen on her smooth effect during the year and presented her with a leather passport case from the group.

A luncheon and ice cream completed the Saturday. Those present to say farewell to Mrs. Griffith were: Mrs. Ann Ragsby of Collierville; Mrs. Ann Marion Harrel of Woodland; Mrs. Let Austin; Mrs. Lillian Bush; and Mrs. Ruth Bailey of Biloxi; Mrs. Ann Morrison of Ocean Springs; Mrs. Prichett and Mr. Hill.

1956 Year of Spring Festival

1956 is the year of the Spring Festival. The festival is a great opportunity for the community to come together and have fun.

The festival will be held on April 9, at the school gymnasium and Board Room,代替 Bay School, with the aid of the PTA,代替 Bay School, and the community.

There will be a variety of

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